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Stable Reporter Cell Lines for Detection
of Pathway-Specific Signal Transduction

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

Sir:

This Reply is being filed in response to the final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 7, 2003, in the above-identified application.

Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

An extension of time to respond to the Office Action is respectfully requested. A Petition for Extension of Time (one month) and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims:

Please cancel claims 33-38 without prejudice to the subject matter contained therein.

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